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03108/0201084-US0 Application No. Filing Date Examiner Art Unit 10/811,294-Conf. #8262 March 26, 2004 T. M. Boykin 1711 Applicant(s): Kala Ramakrishnan et al. Invention: SYNTHESIS OF ION IMPRINTED POLYMER PARTICLES TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below. **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** Claims Highest Remaining Number Number Previously After Extra Claims <u>Ame</u>ndment Present Paid Rate **Total Claims** 10 20 Х Independent 1 3 = Х Claims Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) Other fee (please specify): TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT: 0.00 Large Entity x | Small Entity x No additional fee is required for this amendment. Please charge Deposit Account No. in the amount of \$ A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$ to cover the filing fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. x The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. 04-0100 as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. x | Credit any overpayment. Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17. Dated: February 8, 2005 Sandra S. Lee Attorney Reg. No.: 51,932 DARBY & DARBY P.C. P.O. Box 5257 New York, New York 10150-5257 (212) 527-7727

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the non-final Office Action dated November 8, 2004 (Paper No. 20041101), please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.